

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

THURSDAY EVENING, SEPT. 7, 1882.

GENERAL PAYNE in his speech at the democratic Congressional convention yesterday said "it was not only his pleasure but his duty to support Mr. Massey." And so will say every intelligent and right-thinking man, whether he be white or black, or whether he be a democrat, republican or readjuster, who thoroughly understands the circumstances of the case, and fully appreciates not merely the danger, but the inevitable injury that would have resulted to every moral and material interest of the State from the success of the schemes of General Mahone, and from which they only escaped by the assistance rendered the demcratic members of the Legislature by Mr. Massey's four readjuster friends in that body. No matter what may have induced them to render that assistance; ascribe their action to the lowest conceivable motives, (though that could hardly be when General Mahone at that time had not only Virginia but the Administration in a sling, and their opposition promised anything else rather than personal gain)—the fact that they rendered it alone preserved the State, and entitles them and their leader to the everlasting gratitude of every man who has at heart the prosperity and happiness of Virginia. But for them there would be no Congressman at large to elect, and the ten Congressional districts would have been so arranged that only one, the 8th, would have been properly represented, the others sending to Congress such men as Libby, Farr, Hooper and Scott; and instead of the present respected judges of the circuit courts, those courts, it is not unlikely to presume, would have been presided over by such a man as the Mahone judge of Franklin county, who plays cards with a "lizard," and was the accomplice of another of the General's followers in a ruffianly assault upon an unarmed preacher. Virginians, irrespective of political affiliation, owe a debt to Mr. Massey that will be only partially paid by giving him an earnest and hearty support in his present campaign.

The Virginia republicans already have congressional candidates in the 1st, 2nd, 5th and 9th districts, and for Congressman at large. As only the few among them who belong to the Arthur wing of their party,

Archer, who has been confined in Boston for several weeks with a serious affection of and who are willing to submit tamely to the his eyes. He was told that all the money public indignities to which they have been the company wanted for the prosecution and their answer to the rule awarded by the tical this may seem an easy subjected by General Mahone and Captain extension of their works was there for them, Court of Appeals of Virginia, on the peti-Wise intend to vote the Mahone ticket next fall, and as they have a natural objection to voting for the democratic candidates, why General Mahone's recent personal applicadon't they put candidates in all the other districts of the State, and by the votes they give them show the President how grossly he has been deceived respecting Gen. Mahone's strength? A large republican vote ceived a staggering blow from an unexpectin every Virginia district would be a great boom for the Blaine men, who dictated the last republican candidate for President, and who, it now seems likely, will also dictate but that now when the tide had turned lution, to the council representing the coathe next one.

THE MANNER in which the mail service is now conducted, is simply outrageous, the complaints of the "irregularities" and failures being so frequent as to be more than annoying, and it appears that the trouble is not confined to this section, alone, where it is bad enough, for the Richmond State editorially says:

"Carelessness in carrying the mails in this section is growing unbearable. The service is filled, with a few exceptions, by ignorant, incompetent and unscrupulous officials. The interests of the public are entrusted to a mongrel horde of negro politicians and lazy whites. How much longer are the people willing to suffer from this infamous negligence?'

THERE IS no evil without its compensating good. Men justly entitled to the privilege of suffrage have the manhood to vote an open ballot. Such ballots, however, are not allowed in Virginia, and the republicans, though commanded by the Administration to vote for General Mahone will avail themselves of the protection afforded by the secret ballot to disobey that command, and to unite with their fellow citizens of all other political opinions, in deposing the first and only boss Virginia has ever had.

GENERAL MAHONE is now the great leader, and the great apostle of the equality of man, but when he was President of the A. M. & O. R. R., according to those who were under him, it was the cost of an employe's place to approach him without hat in hand, and it was more difficult to obtain an audience with him than to obtain one with the President of the country.

WHY PEOPLE should leave comfortable homes for the necessary discomforts of the springs or country boarding houses is hard to understand, but having gone away, it is equally hard to comprehend why they should return at the very time when the country is most delightful, and when the cities are most unwholesome-early fall.

Rev. Henry Ward Beecher writes to the Chicago Tribune that his case of hay fever is suppressed, but not eradicated. He has within two weeks answered over two hundred letters on the subject. He says that for two months in the year the man who has hay fever is no longer a free agent, but an oozy, animal, dipping with ferocious tendencies and not accountable. He feels like killing his mother-iu-law, and his conscience like Job's, wife, tempts him to swear.

[Special Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.] WASHINGTON, D. C., September 7, 1882.-Messrs. George and Hill, two attorneys of this city, who were associated with Mr. Newell in his exposures in relation to the various Pacific Railroads at the last session of Congress, have gone to Mr. Reed's district in Maine to speak against him and to tell his constituents that though the exposures referred to were so effective that a majority of the Judiciary Committee of the House, of which Mr. Reed was chairman, agreed to report in favor of the forfeiture of the land grants to those roads, Mr. Reed opposed them at every point, delayed proceedings and did not present the report. The election in Maine takes place next Monday and as the election is conceded by the republicans to be pretty close, the loss to Mr. Reed that the speeches of parties named are expected to occasion may probably effect his defeat.

The Secretary of the Navy has directed a naval vessel to meet the steamer on which Engineer Mellville is returning and to pay her such attention as may be agreeable to him in order to recompense him in part for the dangers and suffering he has endured in the cause of science.

Mr. Hutchinson, of the Alaska Sealskin Company, who will probably receive the republican nomination for Congress in the Frederick district of Maryland, says, it is understood, he will spend fifty thousand dollars to secure his election. Mr. Urner, republican, is the present member, but Mr. Hutchinson's money will be likely to beat him, and in order to break his fall his party propose to make him a circuit judge

A gentleman from the Petersburg district here to-day says Mr. Jorgensen will not run as the straightout republican candidate for Congress in that district, but that the straightouts there have resolved to run a candidate of their own, and the one selected will probably be a colored man named Branch, of Prince Edward county, who lost his place in the internal revenue service because he would not support General Ma-

Many of the delegates to the democratic Congressional Convention that was held in Alexandria yesterday were here last night. They all, without exception, were highly pleased with the action of the convention in present a natural appearance. renominating Mr. Barbour, and are of the opinion that his majority will be much larger than it was last year. With regard to Mr. Massey they seemed to think that he will not only receive the full democratic vote of the district but, in addition, a large portion of the republican and readjuster vote. They were very enthusiastic and seemed to think that Mahoneism has had its day in Virginia.

At democratic headquarters letters have been received from the 5th and 6th districts of Virginia containing the most cheering news from those districts. According to them Cabell and Tucker will both be re- suits instituted against this company for elected by large majorities, Massey probaoly leading both. From the 9th district it is learned that Massey is making an active canvass, speaking almost every day, and resting himself by preaching on Sundays. He draws large crowds wherever he speaks and is making a most effective campaign, thus affording a marked contrast to that of Capt. Wise in the same district, which, if effective at all, was to his disadvantage.

A gentleman just from New York was informed that the reason nothing had been done for some time at the Potomac Works in Alexandria was the indisposition of Mr. and that as soon as Mr. Archer recovered tion of S. A. Plummer, democrat, requiring it takes more ability to make a first-class reactive operations would be resumed.

It is reported in newspaper row that when tion to have some of his dropped appointees reinstated until after the election, so as not to impair his influence in Virginia, was positively refused, he left the department sad and dejected, looking as though he had reed quarter, and with an injured expression of countenance inplying that his request ago when he was in the full flush of success. their support.

sions, will return about the end of this or the commencement of next week, and, soon after, the remaining four hundred clerks for his bureau will be appointed. The number of clerks in the bureau will then be seventeen hundred, with which force the Commissioner thinks he will be able to complete

The 3d Auditor of the Treasury, to whom the case was referred, has decided that a Government pension belongs to the pensioner or to his wife and children and that nobody has any claim upon it while they

Ex-Governor Young, of Ohio, is in the city to-day. He says that all the seeming troubles about the Washington and Western Railroad have been adjusted, and that the work of producing that road at least as far as Winchester will be commenced this

Attorney General Brewster closed the argument in the star route case this morning. The counsel for the defense then commenced their prayer for instructions to the jury, but it was so long that the hour for recess arrived before it was concluded, which induced Mr. Merrick to observe that it must be a desperate case that required so long a prayer. If the prayer is concluded with in a reasonably short time, Judge Wylie will instruct the jury and give them the case this evening. The general impression about the verdict is that "ginger" has been placed where it will do the most good, and that there will be a hung jury.

J. M. Berkley, Myndus, Nelson co.; D. E. Kellam, Shadyside, Northampton co.; Mrs. Eva N. Booker, Old Chuech, Hanover co.; G. W. Moxley, Balcony Falls, Rockbridge co., Va., were commissioned postmasters to-day.

PUBLIC OFFICERS NOT ENTITLED TO A REWARD .-- The Governor having referred to the Attorney-General the papers in the all reasonable incidental protection to application for the reward of \$100 for the American industries, and particularly to arrest of David Hall, charged with the murder of Charles Bonyer, of Mongomery counyesterday advised the payment of the reward to Chas. H. Turner and James Leaney, of Montgomery, who detained Hall at being bailed on a charge of larceny. The other applicant for the reward was one Spencer, of Floyd county, a constable. The Attorney General decided that under the law a public officer who makes an arrest is not entitled to a reward, as he merely performed an official duty, for which fees are allowed .- Richmond Dispatch.

Gen. Eppa Hunton has sold his farm near

NEWS OF THE DAY

"To show the very age and body of the Times."

The Baltimore Oriole executive committee has declined to give the \$1,000 asked for the entertainment of the visiting militia, because of the lack of funds.

A dispatch from Helena, Montana, says the Piegan Indians have fired the prarie, and the whole country is ablaze, killing thousands of cattle.

The Marquis of Lorne, the Princess Louise and party arrived in Chicago yesterday and took twenty-one rooms at the hotel. They leave for San Francisco to-day. Francis D. Moulton has filed a bill in equi-

ty in the United States Court at Providence, R. I., against Z. Chafee, trustee, and Wm. Sprague, for possession and title of Canon-

General Sherman has asked that General McDowell be relieved of the command of the Pacific division of the army and ordered home, preparatory to his ultimate retire-The closing session of the Grand Lodge of

the United States, Independent Order of Red Men, was held in Boston yesterday. The next convention will be held in Philadelphia on the second Tuesday of Septem-

A collision between two freight trains oc cured yesterday afternoon near Marriotville on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, resulting in the smashing of three or four freight cars, and the derailment of an engine. The mail train from Winchester was delayed by the wreck about two hours.

At Lost Creek, on the Lehigh Valley Railroad, about three miles from Shenaudoah, Pa., yesterday, the ground settled during the day, and about 3 o'clock a seam three feet in width opened for a distance of about 1,000 yards along the line of the railroad track, impeding for a time the running of trains. The sinking was accasioned by the working of the underlying coal veins.

Eleven iron caskets, painted in imitation of rosewood, have been prepared in New York, in which are to be brought home the remains of De Longand his comrades. The easkets have bronze plates, with the names of their future tennants. It is said that the bodies, being placed in the caskets while frozen, will be turned to adipocere or waxy tissue, and that the features will always

VIRGINIA NEWS

A meeting of the Board of Visitors of the niversity was held yesterday, but the only usiness of interest transacted was the election of Mr. James M. Garnett, of Maryland, to the newly established chair of English. and the election of Bluford Eddins, esq., of Albemarle, to the position of caterer to the mess, in place of Mr. J. R. Shumate.

Another suit has been brought against the Richmond and Petersburg Railroad Company for \$4,500, the last of the series of is done by women-bewails the fact that redamages claimed for alleged neglect on the part of the company, by which the property of plaintiffs was destroyed on the occasion

Police Captin Cadwallader, Lieut. Farnan and Detectives Stebold and Droste left Baltimore yesterday for King George county, to appear as witnesses in the trial of Frank Burkman, of Baltimore, charged with the murder of Capt. Edward Melson, of the sloop Fannie Southard, in Upper Machadock creek, Potomoc river, May 4

the Council to show cause why a mandamus should not issue directing the council to restore the petitioner to the office of city audi-The answer claims that F. B. Russell. coalitionist, having been elected city auditor by the legally organized coalition council the election of S. A. Plummer was illegal null and void; that the mandamus prayed for ought not to be granted, and the rule ought to be discharged. A resolution was would not have been denied a few months council to sign and make oath to the answer, deliver it, with a copy of the resoagainst him, even those for whose sake he lition councilmen in the legal proceedings, had forfeited the respect of the people of with instructions to file said answer in court his own State, had commenced to withhold on the return day of the rule. The democratic councilmen voted solidly against the Mr. Dudley, the Commissioner of Pen- reception of the answer and the adoption of the resolution.

Mr. Barbour's Speech.

In consequence of the hurry in making up the report of the proceedings of the democratic Congressional convention yesterday, the arrearages of pensions in about three Mr. Barbour's remarks were not fully reported. Among other things he said:

Two years ago, when absent from the State in the prosecution of business, he had been entirely unexpectedly to himself, nominated to represent the district in Congress, and now, without personal solicitation in any direction, he had been renominataed. He appreciated the honor more highly because thus far he was hardly warm in his Congressional seat, and had not time to make himself familiar with the duties of his

position. He said the ambition of his life was to make himself useful to his people and his State. Interesting questions would come up, or were already pending in Congress, in which he claimed to take a deep interest as a practical man, and beyond all this the Forty-Eighth Congress would include the next Presidential election in and upon which would be concentrated the hopes and fears of the entire country. He desired to take his part in that drama, and but for the facts stated he would not have cared to continue

in public life. It had been charged that he was in favor of a high protective tariff. This was not so. He had voted for the appointment of a commission to report upon the existing tariff in the interest of a reduction of the present high duties, because experience had manifested the difficulties in the way of direct Congressional action on the subject, even when the Democratic party was in control. While he favored the abolition of of the whole internal revenue system of taxation he was at the same time in favor of giving

such as attached to his own district and to Virginia.

With revenue as the object, he thought ty, a few years ago, the Attorney-General that Congress had ample power over the question, and that no constitutional scruple would embarrass him in voting to protect the material interests of Virginia within the Floyd Courthouse and prevented him from limits mentioned. He held the doctrine of Andrew Jackson, of Polk and Buchanan, to say nothing of the old Whig doctrine, and which was based on the old adage that charity begins at home-a doctrine well understood by our northern friends.

Too Thankful for Words.

COAL RUN CROSSING, Ark., May 23,1880. H. H. WARNER & Co.: Sirs-I am too New Baltimore, Fauquier county, containing 229 acres to Mr. Jno. T. Ogilvie for family. thankful to express in words the good your

REV. P. F. MARKLEE.

Paul and Farr, taking advantage of the absence of the leading democrats from the Turks and the Greeks on the Thessalain frontier. county, appeared at Fairfax C. H. yesterday and spoke to a rather small audience.

The State Central Committees of the two wings of the Republican party of Georgia met at Atlanta yesterday and harmonized.

Chief Justice James Jackson is proposed as the successor of the late Senator Hill in the United States Senate from Georgia.

Secretary of War Lincoln is said to be an aspirant for David Davis' seat in the United States Senate.

The latest returns from Vermont make Poland's election in the second congressional district doubtful. The democrats will have nearly double the number of representatives in the Legislature they had in 1880.

The political assessment business has disgusted Congressman Crapo, of Massachusetts, who writes that "there can be no political exigency which will justify a compulsory demand upon them for money or other aid in carrying elections." Mr. Crapo is a can-didate for the republican nomination for Governor of Massachusetts.

Mr. Barbour.

the nomination of Mr. Barbour for Congress.

Mr. Barbour certainly has greater facili-ties for obtaining a full vote than any other candidate who might be named, and his untiring devotion and energy, as displayed in the last campaign, prove that he does not rely upon the enthusiasm aroused by the orators to elect him. His record in the last session of Congress proves his real worth, not only to his party but to the State and country at large, and it is a matter of congratulation that he was made a member of several of the most important committees. over the claims of those who had long served in Congress. Now that he has gained experience by actual service, and as we are about to place our banner in his grasp, again to led to certain victory, let us see to t that no discredit shall attach to him or us by this voluntary recognition of his superior claims. If he is well worthy of the nomnation, he is worthy of our support, and his election by an increased majority will be a benefit to him in his important duties in Congress.'

A WORD FOR THE MALIGNED REPORTER. One of the cheap writers who send out manifold letters from New York devotes a portion of an epistle to the Detroit Free Press ago, when Raymond, Greeley, and Bayard Tylor served thier apprenticeship. The truth is that no reporting worthy of the name was done in those days. The local news of one of the New York dailies before the war was written by the city editor and one assistant, where now a force of thirty men is not consiered too large. The best reporters in all the large cities of the country to-day are better equipped for good literary work than three-quarters of the "able editors" of a generation ago. They know what news is, and when by much ingenuity they have succeeded in getting the facts of a story they know equally well how to pre-The City Council of Petersburg held a sent it in interesting style. To those whose special meeting last night and submitted knowledge of the business is purely theoreone who has had the experience knows that porter than to turn out a good lawyer. All this talk about the decadence of reporting by writers who do hackwork which a clever reporter would scorn, is rank nonsense.

How a Mosquito Bites.-The bill of a mosquito is a complex institution, and is admirably calculated to torment. The bill has a flat fork at the head, and is apparentadopted authorizing the president of the ly grooved. Working through the groove, and projecting from the center of the angle of the fork, is a lance of perfect form, sharpened to a fine bevel, beside which the most perfect lance ever made by human hands looks like a hand-saw. On the other side of this lance two saws are arranged, with the points sharp and the teeth well defined and keen. The backs of these saws play against the lance. When the mosquito alights with its peculiar hum, it thrusts with its keen lance and then enlarges the aperture with the two saws, which play beside the lance until the forked bill, with capillary arrangements for pumping the blood, can be inserted. The sawing process is what grates upon the nerves of the victim and causes him to strike wildly at the sawyer, and the irritation of the mosquito bite is owing to the action of the saws .- Batavia

INCENDIARISM.-Mrs. Anderson, a widow lady residing in this county near Morrisville, lost her house, a two story frame building partly new, under the following circumstances: She left home to go to the Post-Office, and there remained in the house a young man named Reese, who said he would follow after her shortly. Soon after departure the house was in flames. Among other valuable things in the house was one hundred and fifteen dollars in silver and a double barrel shot gun, belonging to a young man named Die. In the ashes there could only be found the lock and barrel of a single barreled shot gun, which was also in the nouse, and no trace of the silver or double barrel gun. Suspicion pointed to young Reese as the thief, and incendiary to hide his crime, upon notification of which he fled to parts unknown .- Warrenton Virgin-

SACRIFICES HIS LIFE TO SAVE A LADY .- John J. Du Boles, the oldest engineer on the Lehigh Valley Railroad, was killed in an accident at White Haven on Monday, while heroically saving the life of a lady, who was on the cab of his en-gine at the time. He was making an irregular trip from White Haven to the Tannery, and was carrying a lady of this city. She had arrived at White Haven on the through train, which did not stop at the Tannery, which was her destination. She had been given permission to ride on the cab with Engineer Du Boles. A short distance below White Haven a collison occurred with another irregular train. Persons on both the engines escaped by jumping to the ground, and Engineer Du Boles could also have saved his life in that way, but, like the hero that he was, his first thought was for his helpless female passenger, and in saving her he was caught between the tank and the fire-box and killed. He was educated at the Anmapolis Naval Academy, and was very popular throughout Luzerne county.—Phila. Record.

A GRANDFATHER'S CRIME.-George Walters, 65 years old, was yesterday arrested charged with having committed an atrocious assault upon his granddaughter, Matilda Dider. The arrest was made on the strength of an affidavit sworn out by the child's mother, who claims that the offence was committed between the 12th and 28th of August. Walters was required to enter \$2000 for his appearance this afternoon, in default of which he was sent to jail.—Philadelphia

The Archbishop of Canterbury is better. An armistice has been agreed upon between the

The special constables in Dublin have been dis-

The Lord Mayor of Dublin gave a banquet in nonor of Mayor Carter Harrison, of Chicago last night. A dispatch from Manila states that 253 natives

and four foreigners, including the American con-sul, died there Tuesday of cholera. Mr. Stephen J. Meany, who was compelled to give bonds as a condition of being allowed to re-

main in Ireland, has surrendered his recog-nizances in order to test the legality of his arrest. The British out-posts at Kassasin were reinforced yesterday and the enemy driven back.
General Wolseley has promised to do away with
the censorship of press dispatches. The question
of reimbursing losses by incendiary fires in Alexandria is being considered by the Egyptain Council of Ministers. A dispatch from presilication andra is being considered by the Egyptain Council of Ministers. A dispatch from Ismailia says no advance on the Egyptain lines can be expected before Saturday, the 9th instant. There was brisk firing between the outposts at Kassasin yesterday. It has been decided to fortify Aden. The Anglo-Turkish military convention was informally sign-ed yesterday. The Kurdish chief, Obeidullah, has made his submission to the Sultan. The Persian minister at Constantinople demands his arrest.

AN ATTACHMENT FOR BELLE BOYD .- An attachment was taken out Tuesday by Averill Barlow, the furniture dealer on Market street, bolow Twelfth, against John S. Hammond and his wife, Mrs. Hammond alias Belle Boyd. Mr. Barlow de-The Gordonsville Gazette anticipating he nomination of Mr. Barbour for Congress, ays:

Mr. Barbour certainly has greater facilities for obtaining a full vote than any other

clares in his affidavit that Mrs. Hammond came into his store on the 21st of January last and purchased \$150 worth of goods, giving in payment the note of John S. Hammond for that amount, at ninety days. Subsequently she purchased \$155 worth more of goods, which she promised to pay for in installments. Neither the note par the installments have been paid, however, note nor the installments have been paid, however, and as Barlow has information that the woman who is said to be Belle Boyd-a former rebel spyis about to remove from the city, he asks that the court seize her goods, and thus do a service to him as well as all other good citizens .- Phila. Inquirer.

Hostetter's Stomach Bitters extirpates dyspepsia with greater certainty and promptitude than any known remedy and is a most genial invigorant, appetizer and aid to se cretion. These are not empty assertions, as thousands of our countrymen and women who have experienced its effects are aware but are backed up by irrefragable proofs.
The Bitters also give
a healthful stimulus
to the urinary organs.
sale by all Druggists and Dealers gener-

A Cough, Cold or Sore Throat should be stopped Neglect frequently results in an Inourable Lung Disease or Consumption. BROWN'S BRONCHIAL to the disparagement of the American newspaper reporter. This writer, who is evidently a woman—for most of this slop work is done by women—bewails the fact that reporters are not what they were thirty years ago, when Raymond, Greeley, and Bayard Bronchial Troches have been recommended by Bronchial Troches have been recommend physicians, and have always given perfect satisfaction. Having been tested by wide and constant use for nearly an entire generation they have at-tained well merited rank among the few staple remedies of the age. Sold at 25 cts. a box every-

COMMERCIAL.

ALEXANDRIA MARKET, September 7.—The mar tet to-day is dull and heavy. There is no change to note in Flour. The offerings of Wheat amounted to 5800 bushels and sales were made at 100a 104 for Fultz and 104 for mixed, there being no Lancaster offered. 300 bushels of white Corn sold at S1. Nothing doing in Oats and small lots of Rye brought 70.

GEORGETOWN CATTLE MARKET, Sept'r. 6.— and dull. Wheat—Southern lower and active: The offerings of live stock this week amounted to Western lower, closing firm; Southern red 105a 350 head of Cattle, 1600 Sheep and Lambs and 35 Cows and Calves, with sales as follows: Cattle 4½a5½c for best to choice, and 3a4c for common to good; Sheep 3a4½c; Lambs 4½a6c; Cows and Calves 20a\$40. Choice Beef brisk at quotations; common dull. Sheep and Lambs dull. Cows and Calves slow of sale. 100 Lambs left over. [Prices given in these reports are always at retail unless otherwise stated.]

QUEENSTOWN CATTLE MARKET, September 6 .-Offerings of live stock this week amounted to 85 head of Cattle, 500 Sheep and Lambs and 10 Cows and Calves. The sales were as follows: Cattle 4\6a5\6c for best to choice; Sheep 3a4c; Lambs 4\6a5\6c Cows and Calves 20a\forall 45. Market fairly active at quotations. 150 Lambs left over Prices given are at retail unless otherwise stated.]

MARINE NEWS.

PORT OF ALEXANDRIA, SEPTEMBER 7, 1882. Sun rises...... 5 35 | Sun sets..... 6 21

Str George Leary, Norfolk, to P B Hooe. Schr S F Kirwin, Wash'n, to P B Hooe. Schr New Jersey, lower Potomac, to master.

Str George Leary, Norfolk, by P B Hooe. Str Mattano, lower Potomac, by J Lannon. Str T V Arrowsmith, lower Potomac, by Potonac Ferry Co.

ARRIVED AT WASHINGTON. Schr Annie Maria, coal, Havre de Grace; barges Mary & Josephene, Francis Ryne, Katie Morse, Minnie, coal, Phila.; Hunter G, coal, Cumberland.

MEMORANDA. Schr P C Shultz, from Richmond, at New York

Schr Maggie M Rivers, for Richmond, cleared

PROPOSED NEW LIGHT SHIP. Those who go down to the sea in ships know full well the dangers that surround them in the vicinity of Capes Charles and Henry, on the Virginia coast, and in the wild waters of Chesapeake Bay, inside those headlands; but very few know of the bar ten miles east of a line drawn from Cape Charles to Cape Henry. Many valuable vessels have grounded and some have been lost for the want of a light, and more especially a fog horn, which should be on the lightship in this lo cality. Mr. Wm. Lamb, Mayor of Norfolk, has taken steps in the interest of commerce to have a light ship stationed at this particular locality The Mayor has already opened a correspondence with the Treasury Department on the subject. The pilots who ply their trade on the waters of the Chesapeake and outside the Capes are, as a rule, opposed to this movement, but when it can be said from January 1, 1877, to June 3, 1882, there were reported at the Norfolk Custom House 461 wrecks, the opposition of pilots will amount to nothing. The representatives of commerce will win and their appeal will be granted by Congress There is more need now for such light, as Newport News has become a great shipping point for West

ern grain direct to Europe. CANAL COMMERCE.

Arrived .- Boats P G Uhler and R H Miller, to American Coal Co; G S French No 2, to W A Smoot & Co; F M Offut, to A M Brant; W Jackson, limestone, to E Francis. Departed .- Boats P G Uhler, R H Miller, F M Offutt, Lillie & May, and W Jackson.

MINERAL WATERS. A fresh supply of BEDFORD, BETHESDA AND SARATOGA WATERS, DIRECT FROM THE SPRINGS, AT J. D. H. LUNT'S.

EXTENSION WIRE WINDOW SCREENS Will keep out
FLIES, MOSQUITOES AND DUST. For sale only by TENNESSON & CO., 144 King st. DAINTED SCREEN WIRE for doors and win-

dows; a good article to keep flies, bugs and mosquitoes out of the house. For sale by JAS. F. CARLIN & SONS, 63 King street, Alexandria, Va. THE GAZETTE BOOK AND JOB PRINTING

OFFICE.
PLAIN AND ORNAMENTAL PRINTING MOST REASONABLE TERMS

TO-DAY'S TELEGRAPHIC DISPATCHES.

Egyptian News.

London, September 7.-The correspondent of the Daily News at Kassassin says: The Egyptian loss in the outpost affair yesterday was heavy considering the brief duration of the skirmish I counted 6 corpses close together. This was by far the most determined demonstration made by the enemy since the battle of Kassassin and indicates the near approach of a decisive conflict. All our cavalry with Generals Lowe and Wilkin-

son, are now here.

ALEXANDRIA, Sept. 6.—An Arab was caught at Ramleh this morning attempting to spike a gun.

LONDON, September 7 .- The correspondent of the News at Alexandria has obtained from a most reliable source the exact strength of Arabi Pacha's army. The grand total is as follows:

Infantry, 44,600; cavalry, 18,000; guns 147. rocket tubes, 18; Bedouins, 30,500.

London, September 7.—A dispatch from

Paris to the Times says: "A rumor that England with assent of Russia has signed a secret treaty with Turkey relative to the ultimate organization of Egypt gains ground

Outrage by a Negro.

COLUMBIA, S. C., Sept. 7.—A negro man named Bill Schader alias Bill Johnson, committed an outrage last Monday evening on Miss Castellar, a respectable maiden lady about forty years old. The outrage was perpetrated in a public road six miles from this city. The woman made violent resistance. The affair was kept quiet until yesterday, when a warrent was issued for John. son's arrest. Should he be found a party of lynhchers will dispose of him summarily. At last accounts Miss Castellar was in a precarious condition.

Chesapeake and Ohio Canal.

Annapolis, Sept. 7.—At a meeting of the stockholders of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal to-day, only the State of Maryland was represented. The formal acceptance of the Presidency of the Canal by Lewis C. Smith was received and filed. Spencer Watkins, of Montgomery county was elected a director in place of Wm. Smith.

Hydrophobia.

READING, Pa., Sept. 7.-Mrs. Elizabeth Guckert, living three miles from here, was bitten in the arm by a dog ten weeks ago. The wound healed, but yesterday morning she came to this city on business, when she became mad and her death is momentarily looked for.

Fatal Accident.

Easton, Pa., Sept. 7.—A freight train and shift-ing engine collided at Delaware Station late yes-terday afternoon. Both engines and several cars were wrecked. Celee Montee, one of the oldest watchmen on the road who was riding on the freight engine was jammed head foremost into the fire box and burned to a crisp. Murderer Hanged.

ALEXANDRIA, Egypt, Sept. 7.—The murderer of the Englishmen Dodson and Richardson, was

hanged at seven o'clock this morning by the na-Nomination. SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 7.—Col. M. N. Stone. of Virginia, has been nominated Justice of the Supreme Court by acclamation.

Financial. NEW YORK, Sept. 7 .- The stock market opened irregular. In the early trade business was very dull, after which the market became heavy and

prices fell off 1/8a1 per cent.

The Markets. Baltimore, Sept. 7.—Virginia 6s deferred—do consolidated 60¹4; do second series 35¹4; past due coupons 59; new 10.40s 43¹8 bid to-day. Cotton quiet; middlings 12³4. Flour unchanged and dull. Wheat—Southern lower and active: 110; do amber 111a114; No 2 Western winterred spot 1083ga10834; Sept 1077ga1084g; Oct 1075ga 1077g; Nov 1084ga1087g; Dec 110a1104g; Jan 112 asked. Corn—Southern steady and quiet; Western steady and fairly active; Southern white 86a87; do yellow nominally 90; Western mixed Oct 783 a79; Nov 73 asked; Nov and or Dec 625 a6278. Oats firm; Southern 42a47; do red rust proof 36a38; Western white 42a44; do mixed 38a 40. Penna 40a45. Rya higher at 65a75. Bay 40; Penna 40a45. Rye higher at 65a75. Hay unchanged. Coffee dull; Rio cargoes ordinary to fair 8a9\\(^1_2\). Sugar steady; A soft 9\\(^3_8\). Whiskey steady at \$1 20a1 22.

NEW YORK, Sept. 7 .- Stocks dull and lower Money 5. Cotton quiet; uplands 12 13-16; Orleans 1348. Flour dull and declining. Wheat leans 13½, Flour dull and declining. Wheat heavy and 1½a1¾c lower. Corn heavy and 1¾a1

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